

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Product name : 1,1-Dimethylbiguanide hydrochloride

Product Number : D150959
Brand : Aldrich
CAS-No. : 1115-70-4**1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheetCompany : MilliporeSigma Canada Ltd
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(International)
24 Hours/day; 7 Days/week**SECTION 2: Hazards identification****2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture****GHS Classification in accordance with Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) (SOR/2015-17)**Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302
Short-term (acute) aquatic hazard (Category 3), H402

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word

Warning

Hazard statement(s)	
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H402	Harmful to aquatic life.
Precautionary statement(s)	
P264	Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P301 + P312 + P330	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.
P501	Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

- none

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

Synonyms	: Metformin
Formula	: $C_4H_{11}N_5 \cdot HCl$
Molecular weight	: 165.62 g/mol
CAS-No.	: 1115-70-4
EC-No.	: 214-230-6

Component	Classification	Concentration *
Metformin hydrochloride		
	Acute Tox. 4; Aquatic Acute 3; H302, H402	<= 100 %
* Weight percent		

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

If inhaled

After inhalation: fresh air.

In case of skin contact

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.

In case of eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Remove contact lenses.

If swallowed

After swallowing: immediately make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult a physician.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**5.1 Extinguishing media****Unsuitable extinguishing media**

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NO_x), Hydrogen chloride gas
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Combustible.

5.3 Advice for firefighters

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

5.4 Further information

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapours/mists with a water spray jet.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert. Advice for emergency responders: Protective equipment see section 8. For personal protection see section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

No special precautionary measures necessary.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage**7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

For precautions see section 2.2.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Tightly closed. Dry.

Hygroscopic.

Storage class (TRGS 510): 11: Combustible Solids

7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Change contaminated clothing. Preventive skin protection recommended. Wash hands after working with substance.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Safety glasses

Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 87300, e-mail sales@kcl.de, test method: EN374

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

Body Protection

protective clothing

Respiratory protection

required when dusts are generated.

Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.

Control of environmental exposure

No special precautionary measures necessary.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance	Form: solid Colour: white
b) Odour	odourless
c) Odour Threshold	No data available
d) pH	6.7 at 10 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F)
e) Melting point/freezing point	Melting point/range: 223 - 226 °C (433 - 439 °F) - lit.
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range	decomposition below boiling point
g) Flash point	No data available
h) Evaporation rate	No data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
k) Vapour pressure	< 0.00001 hPa at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 104
l) Vapour density	No data available
m) Relative density	1.36 g/cm ³ at 20.1 °C (68.2 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 109
n) Water solubility	350 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F)
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: -3.5 at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 107 - Bioaccumulation is not expected.
p) Auto-ignition temperature	> 400 °C (> 752 °F) - Relative self-ignition temperature for solids
q) Decomposition temperature	> 230 °C (> 446 °F) -
r) Viscosity	No data available
s) Explosive properties	No data available
t) Oxidizing properties	The product has been shown not to be oxidizing in a test following Directive 67/548/EEC (Method A17, Oxidizing properties).

9.2 Other safety information

Surface tension	73.0 mN/m at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 115
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SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

No data available

10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

10.4 Conditions to avoid

no information available

10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Hydrogen chloride gas

Other decomposition products - No data available

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In the event of fire: see section 5

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - 1,770 mg/kg
(OECD Test Guideline 401)

LD50 Dermal - Rat - > 500 mg/kg

Remarks: (External MSDS)

No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: No skin irritation

(Draize Test)

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: No eye irritation

(OECD Test Guideline 405)

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

Ames test

Salmonella typhimurium

Result: negative

Mutagenicity (mammal cell test):

Mouse lymphoma test

Result: negative

Mutagenicity (mammal cell test): chromosome aberration.

Human lymphocytes

Result: negative

Mouse - male and female - Bone marrow

Result: negative

Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity- Rat

No data available

Developmental Toxicity- Rabbit

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

Aspiration hazard

No data available

Additional Information

Repeated dose toxicity - No data available

RTECS: DU1800000

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

No data available

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish NOEC - Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill sunfish) - > 932 mg/l - 96 h
(OECD Test Guideline 203)

Toxicity to daphnia EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 64 mg/l - 48 h
and other aquatic (OECD Test Guideline 202)
invertebrates

Toxicity to algae EC50 - Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae) - > 320 mg/l - 72 h
(OECD Test Guideline 201)

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

12.6 Other adverse effects

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product

Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product See www.retrologistik.com for processes regarding the return of chemicals and containers, or contact us there if you have further questions.

SECTION 14: Transport information

DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

IMDG

Not dangerous goods

IATA

Not dangerous goods

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) and the SDS contains all the information required by the HPR.

SECTION 16: Other information

Further information

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Sigma-Aldrich Corporation and its Affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See www.sigma-aldrich.com and/or the reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale.

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